

Dear Sir: Please know that it will be a great and costly burden for our small market radio stations to record and store tapes of all airtime. The equipment will have to be purchased and then space for a gross amount of tapes will have to become available. Extra personnel would have to be brought in to help with this overwhelming task. And for what? We have never had a complaint filed against us. We are a small market, community minded radio station. We shake our heads at the actions of some of the larger markets who have been the beggars for this type of aggravation and imposition. It is my opinion that the FCC can come up with a better method than overall 24 hour taping. It is not only penalizing responsible small market programmers but imposing costly and time consuming concerns on us. I would advise you to hit the abusers of air time hard but leave those of us who follow the rules alone. Stop adding to the "red tape" of this business. You are taking all the fun out of it.

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